

Recovery Plan Action Status

Plan Name: Mountain Golden Heather

Plan Status: Final

Plan Date: 14-Sep-83

Lead Agency: USFWS

Lead Office: Asheville Ecological Services Field Office

(258-3939)

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| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 1 | Secure populations | Ongoing Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta | Acquisition | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 3 | 2 | Conduct searches for new populations | Ongoing Not Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Research: Population Surveys | Contract | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 3 | 22 | Train personnel in identification | Ongoing Not Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service | Other: Information and Education | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 31 | Maintain representative populations | Ongoing Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Management: Propagation | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 3 | 32 | Deposit seeds in seed bank | Discontinued | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture, USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 4 | Monitor populations | Ongoing Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture, USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta | Research: Population Surveys | Contract | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 511 | Study light relations | Not Started | | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 512 | Study competition | Complete | Prior to FY 1995 | Prior to FY 1995 | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |

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| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 513 | Study fire relations | Complete | Prior to FY 1995 | Prior to FY 1995 | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 514 | Study trampling | Ongoing Not Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 515 | Study predation | Complete | Prior to FY 1995 | Prior to FY 1995 | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | [CLWELLS, 9/12/2007: see five year review for the species (currently in draft). Seed predation was regarded as a potential threat by earlier investigators, but later unsubstantiated. No form of predation is currently known to be a significant threat to the species.] |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 52 | Develop management recommendations | Ongoing Not Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 521 | Remove competition by burning | Ongoing Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 522 | Remove competition manually/mechanically | Ongoing Not Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 523 | Consider altering visitor use | Ongoing Not Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |
| Mountain golden heather (Hudsonia montana) | 2 | 524 | Control predation | Not Started | | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture | Work type not yet selected | Labor type not yet selected | |

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| Mountain golden heather (<i>Hudsonia montana</i>) | 2 | 525 | Public education | Ongoing Current | Prior to FY 1995 | | U.S. Forest Service, North Carolina Department of Agriculture, USFWS Regional Office 4 - Atlanta | Other: Information and Education | Labor type not yet selected | |